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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

“HYBRID OPTICAL COMMUNICATION NETWORKS”

the specification of which (I authorize Choate, Hall & Stewart to check one of the following, three choices, and fill in the blanks, if applicable):

_____ is attached hereto

X was filed on July 10, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/617,082 and amended on _____ (if applicable).

_____ was filed as PCT international application No. _____,
on _____ and was amended under PCT Article 19
on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understood the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledged the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s):

Priority Claimed

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

(Application Serial No.)	(filing date)	status-patented, pending, abandoned)
<u>10/161,458</u>	<u>MAY 31, 2002</u>	<u>PENDING,</u>
<u>which is a continuation of the priority claims on the attached sheet.*</u>		

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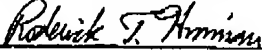

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United State Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

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Citizenship: USAPost Office Address: Same**Full name of fifth inventor:** Deron JacksonInventor's signature: Deron Jackson Date: 4/28/04Residence: 2228 Quail Bluff Lane, San Jose, CA 95121Citizenship: U.S.Post Office Address: Same**Full name of sixth inventor:** George Hovorka

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*Continuation Sheet to Declaration

This application is a CIP of 10/161,458 05/31/2002
which is a CON of 09/291,709 04/14/1999 PAT 6,400,482
which claims benefit of 60/081,866 04/15/1998
and claims benefit of 60/108,287 11/13/1998
and claims benefit of 60/115,374 01/11/1999
This application 10/617,082
is a CIP of 10/201,378 07/23/2002
which claims benefit of 60/308,486 07/25/2001
and claims benefit of 60/311,037 08/09/2001
and claims benefit of 60/326,277 10/01/2001
and claims benefit of 60/338,912 11/26/2001
and claims benefit of 60/337,491 11/26/2001
and claims benefit of 60/341,191 12/07/2001
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which claims benefit of 60/191,725 03/24/2000
and is a CON of 09/291,706 04/14/1999 PAT 6,198,230
which claims benefit of 60/081,866 04/15/1998
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- (a) Elmer C. Lupton (b) Steven B. Leeb
(c) Roderick T. Hinman (d) Al-Thaddeus Avestruz
(e) Deron Jackson (f) George Hovorka

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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(e) 4/28/04 (f) 4/28/04

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Talking Lights, LLC

Internal Address:

Street Address: 28 Constitution Road

City: Boston

Country: USA ZIP: 02129

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is:

A. Patent Application No.(s):

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10/617,082

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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Internal Address: Choate, Hall & Stewart

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April 30, 2004

Date

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Sells, assigns and transfers to the following entity as ASSIGNEE:

Talking Lights, LLC, having a place of business at **28 Constitution Road, Boston, Massachusetts 02129**, their successors, assigns and legal representatives, all hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNEE, his entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent filed **July 10, 2003, Serial Number 10/617,082** (authorization is hereby given by the undersigned to Choate, Hall & Stewart to fill in the serial number awarded to the patent application), entitled:

"HYBRID OPTICAL COMMUNICATION NETWORKS"

and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions including the right to apply for patent rights in each foreign country and all rights to priority.

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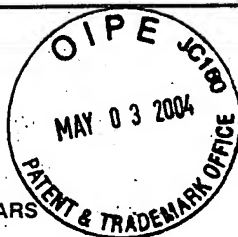
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Brenda Herschbach Jarrell, Reg. No. 39,223
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By: 
Title: President + CEO
Date: 11/6/03



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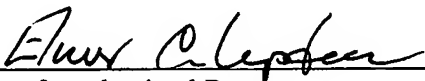
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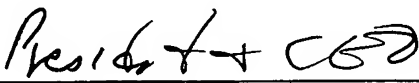
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Signature of Authorized Person



Name of Authorized Person



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